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UD LANGUAGE STUDENTS TO STRETCH ACTING SKILLS IN FRENCH PLAY

DAYTON, Ohio, March 22, 1990--An evening of French theater will be presented at the University of Dayton on Tuesday, April 3, at 7:30 p.m. "L'Interieur des comites revolutionnaires ou les Artistides modernes" was written by a playwright referred to only as Citizen Ducancel. Presented in the Kennedy Union Ballroom on campus, the play will be performed in French by UD students. Admission is free.

"The play focuses on the themes of revolution, democracy and politics within the framework of a decadent revolutionary committee during the Reign of Terror," said Enrique Romaguera, associate professor of languages at UD and director of the performance. "The play was a hit in France when it was performed in 1795 because it exposed with verve the corruption into which the revolutionary committees had allowed themselves to fall. Clever manipulators were using the committee's power to put decent citizens in jail and to dispossess them of their money, property and titles."

Groups are welcome to attend, but are asked to call (513) 229-2449 with an approximate number of those attending.

For further information, contact Enrique Romaguera at (513) 229-2449.